

State of California

Office of Administrative Law

In re:
Department of Justice

Regulatory Action:

Title 11, California Code of Regulations

Adopt sections: 999.24, 999.25, 999.26,
999.27, 999.28, 999.29

Amend sections: 999.10, 999.11, 999.14,
999.16, 999.17, 999.19,
999.20, 999.21, 999.22

NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY
REGULATORY ACTION

Government Code Sections 11346.1 and
11349.6

OAL File No. 2011-0330-02 E

The Department of Justice submitted this emergency action to enhance title 11 procedures and requirements that govern the sale and distribution of cigarettes and roll-your-own tobacco products. The existing regulations were adopted to assure compliance with state financial responsibility laws pertaining to tobacco product manufacturers. Revenue and Taxation Code section 30165.1 requires that all tobacco product manufacturers and brand families be listed on a directory maintained by the Department on its web site in order to conduct business in California. This action implements recent enhancements to the Department's authority and jurisdiction enacted in AB 2496 (Stats. 2010, ch. 265). These emergency regulations provide additional requirements, documentation, and forms that are required under AB 2496 to demonstrate compliance with the laws governing the sale and distribution of the specified tobacco-related products and to maintain listing on the Department's website.

OAL approves this emergency regulatory action pursuant to sections 11346.1 and 11349.6 of the Government Code.

This emergency regulatory action is effective on 4/11/2011 and will expire on 10/11/2011. The Certificate of Compliance for this action is due no later than 10/10/2011.

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